

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 237

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Samantha Curtis, 2009
Valedictorian of Cannon County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Samantha Curtis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Cannon County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Samantha has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and demonstrated outstanding leadership through her involvement in a variety of organizations and positions within her school; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Curtis has served as a Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen, an alternate for Girls' State, a member of the Spanish Club, a REACH employee, a member of the volleyball team for two years, a Beta Club member for four years, Class President of her Junior and Senior classes, and School Council Class Representative; and

WHEREAS, Samantha Curtis's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Eddie and Yvonne Curtis, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Samantha's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Cannon County High School Valedictorian, Samantha Curtis, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.